

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph at page 4, lines 3-6, with the following amended paragraph.

The laser suitable for use in the method of the present invention are preferably ultrashort-pulse lasers consisting of pulses shorter than about 10^{-11} second, preferably shorter than about 10^{-12} second, and most preferably shorter than about 10^{-13} second which are referred to as femtosecond lasers. ~~The ultrashort pulse laser used for the~~